SRI S. RAJAGOPAL.—May I know the total number of card holders concerning all these 35 license holders ?

SRI B. D. JATTI.—Excepting the co-operative societies, all others are having 300 each.

SRI KONDAJJI BASAPPA.—Sir, the Hon'ble Minister is held up in the other House and I request Question No. 538 may be held over.

MR. SPEAKER.—I will hold over the question. Next Question No. 294. The Hon'ble Minister for Revenue has intimated his inability to attend today on account of extra-ordinary circumstances. This question is also held our.

SRI S. M. KRISHNA (Maddur).—Mr. Speaker, this is a question which has certain special significance. The other day it came up before the House when the Chief Minister was present and it was said, as suggested very rightly by you, that it may be held over. We understand that to-day is the last day of the Budget Session. If even today there is nobody who is willing to take up the responsibility to answer this question, I for one, fail to understand the efficiency with which the present Government is functioning. I am sure, you would not tolerate such a state of affairs.

MR. SPEAKER.—A point has been raised by Sri Krishna that this is a very important matter. I never minimized the importance of any question that comes up before the House nor do I say that this is not important, but the Minister on account of certain reasons is unable to be present today. He did not perhaps know that this will be included today. It is a held over question. With regard to held over questions nobody precisely knows when they are to be included. I do not think that there is any *mala fide* in this.

SELECTION OF BANGALORE AS A PILOT PROJECT AREA

*Q.—433. SRI SANJEEVANATH AIKALA (Surathkal).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether it is a fact that the City of Bangalore has been selected as one of the pilot Project area under the Urban Community Development Programme, by the Central Government;

(*b*) if so, what are the objectives of such Urban Community Development Programme ;

(*c*) which is the implementing Agency of this programme ;

(*d*) what are the broad features of this programme ?

A.—SRI R. M. PATIL (Minister for Development, Panchayatraj and Municipal Administration).—

(*a*) Yes.

(SRI R. M. PATIL)

(*b*) Following are the objectives of the Programme :

(i) Creating a sense of social coherance on a neighbourhood through co-operative Civic action and promoting sense of National Integration.

(ii) Developing a sense of belonging to the Urban Community.

(iii) Creating civic consciousness and motivating people to improve their condition of life particularly those affecting social and physical environment.

(iv) Training of local leaders ; and

(v) Ensuring fuller utilisation of technical and welfare services by helping the community to locate what help can be had from the Municipal authority and other organisation and how to get them and what assistance and guidance can be obtained from Governmental and higher levels and how to approach to them.

(*c*) Bangalore Corporation.

(*d*) Broad features of the programme are :—

(1) *Physical Improvements and Civic amenities* :

(*a*) Water supply.
(*b*) Latrines/Urinals.
(*c*) Lighting-electric or Kerosene.
(*d*) Drains and pipes.
(*e*) Improvement and repair to houses.
(*f*) Paying lands and other community works.

(2) *Health and Sanitation* :

(*a*) Immunization.

(*b*) Pre-natal and post-natal guidance.

(*c*) Medical check-up.
Home Nursing.
Personal Hygiene.

(*d*) Health Education and School Health:
Education programme.
Nutrition.
Childcare, mothercraft.
Family Planning.
First Aid.

(*e*) Environmental sanitation.
Dustbins and Garbage disposal.
D.D.T. spraying.
Fly control and other preventive measures
Cleanliness of drains and prevention of defection.

(3) *Educational Programme* :

Literacy campaigns.
Film shows.
Libraries and reading rooms.
Study groups, debates, discussions.
Community listening sets.
Wall news papers and bulletine.

(4) *Social-Cultural-recreational* :

Indoor and outdoor games—children's Corner.
Sight seeing tours.
Music, dance, drama.
Picnic, hiking.
Fair and festivals.
Hobbies clubs.
Youth Clubs—scouts, guides.

(5) *Economic Programme* :

Sewing class.
Embroidery and knitting class.
Cottage industries.
Demonstration in soap making, food preservation, trickles.
Vocational guidance.
Consumers' co-operative stores, Co-operatives.
Home science—better home keeping.
Small savings and thrift.

(6) *Miscellaneous* :

Civil Defence Programme.
Volunteer Corps.
Emergency relief.
Gardening and flowering plots.
Beautifying the area.
Zone demarcation and nameplates.
Guide map of the area.
Citizens advisory bureau.

SRI SANJIVANATH AIKALA.—What are the recommendations made by the Rural Urban Relationship Committee which was promoted by the Ministry of Health of the Central Government while sponsoring this scheme ?

SRI R. M. PATIL.—I have given a copy of the scheme itself. In that the member can find everything.

SRI SANJIVANATH AIKALA.—What preliminary actions have the Corporation or the Government taken in implementing the scheme ?

SRI R. M. PATIL.—The necessary preliminary action is selection of workers. 10 workers are to be selected, 4 female organisers, 4 male organisers, 1 pilot project officer and 1 director. To constitute the selection committee itself is difficult. That should consist of one nominee of the Government of India, the Corporation Commissioner, the Secretary for Municipal Administration Department and the Secretary for Public Health Department. In this way the procedure suggested by the Government of India is rather cumbersome.

SRI SANJIVANATH AIKALA.—Which are the wards proposed to be taken up for this urban community development programme ?

SRI R. M. PATIL.—Unless the required personal is selected and trained it is not of much use in selecting the area. The selection of the area is left to the Corporation.

SRI SANJIVANATH AIKALA.—What part of the expenditure is met by the Corporation, the State Government and the Central Government in implementing the scheme ?

SRI R. M. PATIL.—The Central Government bears 50 per cent of the expenditure and the rest will be borne by the State Government and the Corporation on 50 : 50 basis.

POWER FOR IRRIGATION PUMPSETS

*Q.—545. SRI C. R RANGE GOWDA (Magadi).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the number of persons who have applied for power for irrigation pumpsets in each hobli of Magadi Taluk during the year 1961-62, 1962-63, 1963-64 and 1964-65 (village-wise figures may be furnished) ;

(*b*) the action they have taken so far in each one of those cases ?

*A.—SRI G. B. SHANKAR RAO (Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Public Works).—

(*a*) and (*b*) *Vide* Statements appended.